

# Beyond Think-Pair-Share: Strategies for Building Relationships and Promoting Collaboration

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Chapter 1:	Relationships: How Do You Do it? Building Connections with Students
Chapter 2:	How Do you do it? Building Connections <u>Between</u> Students
Chapter 3:	Laying the Foundation for Collaborative Learning
Chapter 4:	Making Sure Your Students Have the Necessary Essential Skills
Chapter 5:	Effective Formats for Collaborative Learning
Chapter 6:	What to Do When it Doesn't Go as Planned

## Presentation Slides

### Daily Check In Resources

<https://mariventurino.com/2017/10/13/daily-check-in-with-google-forms/>

<https://jenniferfindley.com/free-daily-check-in-google-forms-distance-learning/>

### Importance of Relationships

**They increase academic achievement.**

- Students who feel connected to school are
  - More likely to attend school
  - More likely to stay in school longer
  - More likely to have higher grades and test scores
- Students with feelings of closeness with school staff have been shown to
  - Work harder in school
  - Spend more time on homework
  - Receive better grades
  - Have more confidence in their academic abilities

**They decrease high-risk behaviors.**

- Less likely to smoke cigarettes
- Less likely to drink alcohol
- Less likely to have sexual intercourse
- Less likely to have emotional problems
- Less likely to experience suicidal thoughts or attempts

**They make schools safer.**

- Less likely to carry weapons
- Less likely to become involved in violence
- Less likely to be involved in dangerous activities

## **Norms**

### [Boundaries](#)

What classroom norms or working agreements do you think will be most important this school year?

### [33 Ways to Be a Warm Demander](#)

## **Ideas for Hey! Me Too!**

I like pizza!

I like basketball!

I am a Kentucky Wildcat fan!

I am a WKU Hilltopper fan!

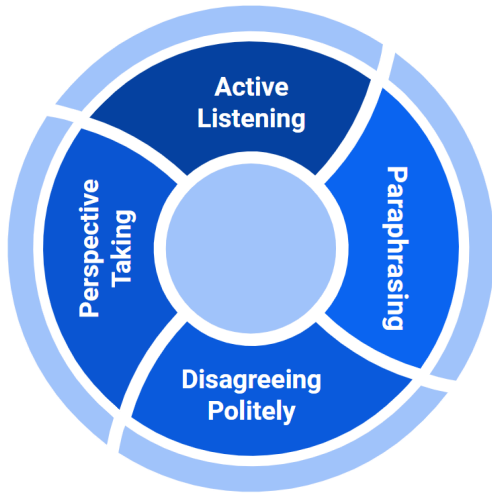
I agree with \_\_\_\_\_.

I disagree with \_\_\_\_\_.

### [Class Meetings](#)

### [105 Ideas for Class Meetings](#)

## **Essential Communication Skills**



<b>Active Listening</b>	<a href="https://www.edutopia.org/article/value-active-listening">https://www.edutopia.org/article/value-active-listening</a>
<b>Paraphrasing</b>	<a href="https://www.edutopia.org/article/teaching-students-paraphrase">https://www.edutopia.org/article/teaching-students-paraphrase</a>
<b>Disagreeing Politely</b>	<a href="https://www.edutopia.org/article/teaching-students-disagree-productively">https://www.edutopia.org/article/teaching-students-disagree-productively</a>
<b>Perspective Taking</b>	<a href="https://sociallyskilledkids.com/perspective-taking/">https://sociallyskilledkids.com/perspective-taking/</a>

### Accountable Talk

<http://www.theteachertoolkit.com/index.php/tool/accountable-discussions>

<b>Padlet</b>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UkBnwPqaljA">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UkBnwPqaljA</a>
<b>Flipgrid</b>	<a href="https://blog.flipgrid.com/gettingstarted">https://blog.flipgrid.com/gettingstarted</a>

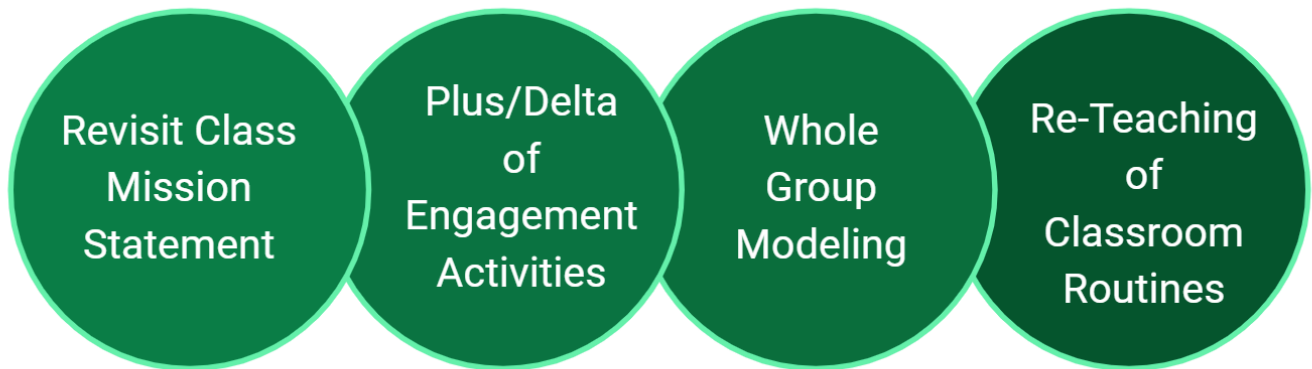
<b>Plickers</b>	<a href="https://blogs.umass.edu/onlinetools/assessment-centered-tools/plickers/">https://blogs.umass.edu/onlinetools/assessment-centered-tools/plickers/</a>
<b>Pear Deck</b>	<a href="https://help.peardeck.com/getting-started-with-pear-deck-slides">https://help.peardeck.com/getting-started-with-pear-deck-slides</a>



[Text Message Responses-n using Padlet](#)

**Identify one engagement strategy you have implemented that promotes effective collaboration.**

**When things don't go as planned....**

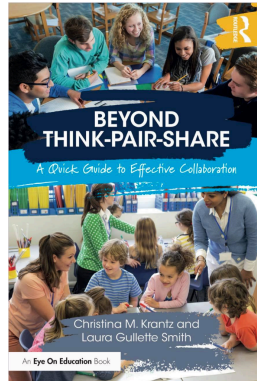


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<https://www.routledge.com/Beyond-Think---Pair---Share-A-Quick-Guide-to-Effective-Collaboration/Krantz-Smith/p/book/9780367374549>